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[REDACTED] had received permission to visit [REDACTED] Headquarters. [REDACTED] at the Villa Maristas G-2

Comment.

[REDACTED] was convicted [REDACTED] of conspiracy against the Cuban Government and sentenced to 30 years in prison. While imprisoned in the Isle of Pines [REDACTED] he reportedly was expelled from the 30th of November movement. [REDACTED] a Cuban refugee provided unconfirmed information that [REDACTED] the faction within the 30th of November Revolutionary Movement [REDACTED] was working with the Cuban Government on plans for a government-inspired and directed revolution designed to satisfy the Cuban people and foreign observers that the unpopular Castro government had been overthrown and to ensure that the Communists remained in control of the Government. Plans for this false revolution, which allegedly was to take place "in the near future", envisaged the release of all Cuban prisoners except those who were pro-Batista. The slogan for the revolution was to be "Fidelismo without Fidel."

[REDACTED] was summoned about every two weeks for private interrogations in the Isle of Pines prison. He

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was also often placed in solitary confinement. Persons who visited inmates in various Cuban prisons claimed [redacted] had been transferred to the Departamento de Seguridad del Estado (Department of State Security, DSE) Headquarters in Villa Maristas, Havana. [redacted] the 30th of November Revolutionary Movement had broken into factions and [redacted] headed the largest faction.

2. Comment.

[redacted] had been seen in Havana wearing a Rebel Army officer's uniform and was alleged to be a principal G-2 agent.

[redacted] individuals in Oriente Province who were imprisoned for anti-Communist activities were being offered their freedom if they consented to attend a revolutionary and Communist indoctrination school; many prisoners had been released because they agreed to the conditions.

[redacted] prisoners who were politicians prior to the Castro régime had been released from prison for the purpose of joining a new political party which Premier Fidel Castro Ruz planned to organize in Cuba, in connection with false elections.

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